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For: CO-ADMINISTRATION OF A POLYSACCHARIDE WITH A

CHEMOTHERAPEUTIC AGENT FOR THE TREATMENT OF CANCER

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO AUGUST 23, 2007 OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:**

This Amendment is filed in reply to the Office Action issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on August 23, 2007 in connection with the above-identified patent application. The August 23, 2007 Office Action provided a shortened statutory period of three months in which to file a response, extendable to six months from the date of the Office Action. This Amendment is hereby filed with payment for a three month extension of time, as the amount of such fee may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-1561, No. 89918.020600. Finally, this Amendment is being filed concurrently with a Petition to Revive Application Under 37 CFR 1.137(b) - Unintentional Abandonment.

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